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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE A RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time to file a Response for two months from April 7, 2003 to June 7, 2003.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1155 in the amount of \$410.00 to cover the cost of the extension. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to this deposit account. This request is being submitted in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

Gerard J. McGowan, Jr. Attorney for Applicant Registration No. 29,412

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